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## ESTABLISHMENT OF WORKING COMMITTEES

The orderly development of scientific intelligence requires a definition of the area of interest and designation of those specific fields which merit priority consideration.

## I. Definition of Scientific Intelligence

Scientific intelligence is that intelligence which deals with scientific potential, activity, and intent. In practice it deals with the discovery of new, and the elaboration of old, scientific principles, with research leading to new applications of scientific principles and with the application of those principles to the development of devices and methods which may affect the security of the United States.

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